

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

OPERA HOUSE BILL RUNS ON TIME TABLE

With Something Worth While at Every Start—Here's How it Travels

Time table for the Opera House vaudeville programme tonight is as follows:—At 7.30, the fourteenth chapter of the Wm. Duncan serial drama, "Vengeance and the Woman," at 8 o'clock, those two jolly fellows, Stewart and Crumley, start joy making; at 8.14 the two little personality girls, the Bennett Sisters, appear; at 8.31, Lavton, the best exponent of the art of juggling ever seen on a local stage; 8.40, we have Bennington and Scott, in clever dancing; and at 8.50 Elliott's famous Dog Circus and the Leaping Hound.

CIVILIZATION AT THE GEM TONIGHT

This much expected picture feature, "Civilization," was arrived at the Gem, and will be shown at 7.15 and 8.45 tonight. It is eight reels, a whole show in itself; a rival even of "The Birth of a Nation," and one of the greatest motion pictures that has ever been produced.

See amusement page for full details and remember that by special arrangement the Gem is able to show the picture at five and ten cents.

PERSONALS

Miss Lala Grant of Montreal is a guest of Miss Josephine McKenna, of 284 Rodney street, West St. John. Mrs. R. J. McGill and daughter, Marjorie, of Ottawa, are spending a vacation in the city, the guests of Mrs. McGill's sister, Mrs. P. C. Sharkey, 85 Paddock street.

Miss Catherine Murray and Miss Lillian and Miss Genevieve Lynch of West St. John left today on a motor trip to Fredericton.

Mrs. Hannah Lloyd of Harrison street, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Viola, left today for Bangor, Me., on a visit.

Mrs. James C. Wilson and son of Hartford, Conn., arrived yesterday to visit Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. A. Armstrong of Mechanicsburg street. Capt. Wilson is now serving in the U. S. army overseas.

Miss Stef McAlpine and Miss A. Bertha McConnochie of this city are spending a few weeks at Inch Arran Hotel, Dalhousie, N. B.

F. E. Marven of the Canada Hall Works, accompanied by Mrs. Marven, returned from an American trip.

Sackville Tribune—Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Palmer and son, Kenneth, and Miss VanDine, left Tuesday last on a month's trip to St. John, Fredericton and other points along the St. John river.

Arthur Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Peters, Sackville, who has been on the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada, Sackville, left yesterday for the Halifax bank.

FROM MONTANA BY MOTOR-CAR TO ST. JOHN

All the way from Montana, a distance of 5,000 miles, to St. John to visit his mother's grave in Penobscot, this trip was made by William Bennett, of Montana, nephew of John McKelvie of Elliott row. Mr. Bennett, accompanied by his wife and two other friends, motored the entire distance, coming via New York, and arrived in the city on Saturday afternoon and left yesterday for California. Mr. Bennett left St. John when a small boy, going to the States. He has become a very successful cattle rancher in Montana. While in the city, the party spent the greater of their time with Mr. McKelvie.

WALL STREET

New York, Aug. 14.—(Wall street)—Stocks controlled by professional investors dominated the firm opening of today's market, transportations and equipments showing only moderate gains. American Tobacco advanced almost five points, United Cigars one and Sumatra Tobacco one point. United States Steel rose half a point, and Baldwin Locomotive 1 1/4. Far issues became more active before the end of the first hour and rail falls also improved on a further inquiry for St. Paul's and Union Pacific.

LOCAL NEWS

Laborers wanted, Grant & Horne, McAvity plant, Marsh road. 83171-8-21.

Teamsters and chauffeurs meet in Oddfellows' hall Thursday at 8.30 p. m. Business of grave importance. 8-16

Wanted—Chambermaid, girl for linen room, girl to attend ladies' entrance, Royal Hotel.

ODDS AND ENDS

Don't fail to attend the grand patriotic revue "Odds and Ends," in West St. John City Hall, Thursday, Aug. 15. Tickets 25 cents. 8-16

POSTPONED

West End S. C. A. garden party postponed until tomorrow. If weather proves unfavorable, will hold in "Practice Boys' Hall, Gullford street."

TO SHOOTERS

The 2 Parkers, Princess street, are selling shot cartridges from 45 cents per box up; 22 cartridges from 45 cents per hundred up. All metallic cartridges under wholesale prices.

THOUSANDS OF WOMEN FOR RAILROAD WORK

McAdoo Plans to Fill Many Positions in This Way to Help War Programme

Washington, Aug. 14.—Thousands of women will be drawn into railroad employment within the next few months to take the place of men entering the army and going to other industries, according to plans now being formulated by the railroad administration. Women are to be employed extensively as clerks in railway offices, accountants, ticket sellers, station agents, crossing watchmen, car cleaners, and to some extent as truck laborers.

A survey of different classifications of railway positions which might be filled by women will be undertaken soon possibly by a committee of women to be named by Director-General McAdoo. Consideration will be given to the question of the health of women and also to the element of safety in employing them for certain work. The general policy of railroads under government operation will be to pay women the same wages paid men for similar services.

This course will not result in the dismissal of any men, since the demand for workers in nearly all fields of railway employment already exceeds the supply. In employing considerable numbers of women railroads will be doing their business to meet war conditions, and will be doing their duty to the country.

Training schools for ticket agents are being held in Washington and New York and another school has been authorized for Chicago. Women of high school education and in good health between 21 and 25 are given two months' study in common accounting and are paid \$25 a month while learning. Afterward they are assured of employment at salaries ranging usually from \$65 to \$100 a month.

NOT SO MANY AUTOS.

Bangor Commercial—Evidently there will be very few new model passenger automobiles in the market this year. There will be some, but the number will be materially reduced as the result of the war. The manufacturers of passenger automobiles by the War Board, which has given the manufacturers five months to adjust their business to meet war conditions. There will be an unusual number of trucks very likely and some more of the factories may turn to the making of munitions. One result of the new situation will be that most people will make their present cars do for another year and they will be with the majority of their friends. There are some 5,000,000 motor vehicles in the country and will doubtless continue to be sufficient for all who can afford them.

PRISONERS COURTED ILLNESS BUT MET THEIR DEATH

Ashville, N. C., Aug. 14.—Half a dozen German civilians interned at Hot Springs, N. C., are reported dead of typhoid fever, of 168 ill, as a result of drinking unfiltered water, from French Broad river, with the hope that their illness would prevent their transportation from transferring them to the military prison camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

INTER-ALLIED COUNCIL

Paris, Aug. 14.—The inter-allied munitions council meets here today. Great Britain is represented by Winston Spencer Churchill, minister of munitions; France by Louis Loucheur, minister of munitions; Jacques Dumensil, under-secretary for aviation, and Andre Tardieu, high commissioner to the United States; Italy by several munitions experts, and the United States by Edward Stellings.

MONCTON COUNCIL DISCUSSES ABOLITION OF THE SENATE

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 14.—The Moncton city council discussed the abolition of the senate at their meeting on Tuesday night. Alderman Chapman moved a petition regarding a plebiscite to be taken at the next Dominion election regarding the abolition of the senate. An invitation was extended to the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows, now in session at Kentville, to celebrate their one hundredth anniversary in Moncton.

BURDEN-HOYT

Edward E. Burden, son of Geo. F. Burden, of Pokok, and Miss Myrtle Hoyt of Millville, are to be married at that place this afternoon at three o'clock.

IN THE VAN

It was an idle hour in a high-class shoe store. A few salesmen were gathered together in one corner of the establishment, discussing the relative values of different kinds of footwear. Said one, proudly: "The shoes that I'm wearing are the best made. They're genuine Cordovans."

PTE. G.V. WELDON REPORTED DEAD

St. John Man Crossed With Kilties—Lieut. W. W. Alward is Slightly Wounded

Mrs. C. D. Colpitts, 117 Elliott row, was advised this morning from Ottawa that her brother, Private George Vale Weldon, a member of a Canadian Machine Gun Unit, died on August 5. As there was no previous telegram, the family believe that he was killed instantly. Private Weldon went overseas as a member of the 296th Kiltie Battalion and, after training in England a short time, was transferred to a machine gun unit. He was twenty-seven years old, and for a time conducted a grocery business in the city. He leaves, besides Mrs. Weldon, another sister, Mrs. Neelds of Winnipeg, and four brothers, Medley with the Canadian Engineers; Charles the C. P. R. here; Robert with the C. P. R. in Montreal; and John of Boston.

Mr. S. H. Alward, Burpee avenue, was advised this morning that her son, Lieut. William Wallace Alward, had been slightly wounded but not seriously enough to keep him from his duties. Lieut. Alward went overseas in February, 1917, in command of a draft from the 9th Siege Battery, and after being in England a short time, was transferred to an Imperial Battery, with which he is fighting at present.

LOCAL NEWS

CONDITION UNCHANGED

The condition of little Willie Halliday, who a few days ago was run over by an automobile in Wall street, and suffered severe injuries, is still about the same. He is in the General Public Hospital.

HEARINGS POSTPONED

A further hearing in the case of Edward Burke, charged with supplying liquor on May 5, was resumed in the police court this morning. Some evidence was taken and the case was set over until Friday morning. The Syrian assault cases, which were to be disposed of today, were set over until Wednesday next.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Joseph Ruddock took place this afternoon from his late residence, Douglas avenue, to St. Luke's church, where services were conducted by Rev. R. P. McKim. Interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

DIED IN TORONTO

C. H. Flewelling of this city received a telegram at noon today, advising the family here of the sudden death at his home in Toronto of his brother, Walter J. M. Flewelling had been in good health and the news was unexpected. His wife, two sons and a daughter and their families live in Toronto, his eldest daughter having died some years ago. Mr. Flewelling was the second son of the late Hon. John Flewelling and Caroline Dudgeon, of Hampton, and well known to city business men, having conducted the general store at Hampton, later taken over by the G. & G. Flewelling Company. For a few years he was provincial manager for the Cuddey Company of Toronto, and finally removed there. His son, W. H., is manager for the Cuddey company at Toronto. Much sympathy will be extended to the family here. C. H. and F. E., in St. John, and Mrs. H. J. Fowler and Mrs. C. S. March of Hampton. Mrs. W. J. Flewelling was Miss S. Lemont of Fredericton, and a sister, now dead, was wife of Dr. R. J. Lemont of S. W. Harbor, Mt. Desert, Maine.

BY BROKERS WIRE

New York, Aug. 14.—Lassigny Heights taken by Allies. French driving in on both sides of Noyon, their prospective objective.

Since beginning of Allied counter-offensive on July 18, 70,000 German prisoners and more than 10,000 machine guns captured.

United States has no authority under railroad law to seize street car lines and lighting companies in country, according to President Wilson.

Austrian emperor confers with Kaiser today on important questions.

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MITCHEL'S TASTE RAN TO ADVENTURE

Would Have Been South American Diamond Miner But For Ill Health

Story of Wilderness Trip—Necessity for Protection in Jungle Made Late Mayo of New York a Finished Pistol and Rifle Shot

(New York Times.)

When Major John Purroy Mitchell, former mayor of New York, lost his life on the aviation field at Lake Charles La., on July 6, it was recalled that he had suffered during periods of his official career from a form of headaches that were peculiar because of their severity, of which he and his physicians sought to account for by attributing them to effects resulting from jungle fever with which he had been stricken while on a trip to British Guiana, fifteen years ago. The official report of his official career from a form of headaches that were peculiar because of their severity, of which he and his physicians sought to account for by attributing them to effects resulting from jungle fever with which he had been stricken while on a trip to British Guiana, fifteen years ago.

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"I really had hopes of being a diamond miner," admitted Mr. Mitchell, discussing in the first year of his majority administration the object of his trip to British Guiana, with a New York Times reporter. He did secure an interest in a mine there, and for six months or more he was actively engaged in it, some part of the time as an actual miner.

The law firm of Mullan & Mitchell, of which the present Supreme Court Justice George V. Mullan was the senior member, had among their clients R. R. Foster of 177 Broadway, who had some interest in a diamond mine in British Guiana, and it became necessary for the firm to send some reliable and capable person to the field to look after that interest. Mitchell volunteered to undertake the work. He chose as his only white companion for the trip Richard Davenport, a North Woods guide, with whom he had hunted deer in the Adirondacks.

They had to go far in the interior, and when they had passed Demerara or Georgetown and were in the jungle regions there were descriptions of the squad of porters until the two white men were left practically stranded in an unhealthy country. Their two guides remained faithful, however, and these were sent back to get help for the remainder of the journey, which Mitchell was determined to continue.

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B. C. Salmon Pack Will Be Short Statements to the Contrary Given Emphatically Denial by a Leading Canner Private advices received in Toronto from Victoria, B. C., give an emphatic denial to the Prince Rupert press despatch of Thursday stating that the salmon pack would be the largest in twenty years.

CONDENSED NEWS Negotiations have been opened which aim to bring practically all allied subjects in Canada within the dragnet of compulsory military service. With the exception of Americans, a subject of one of the allied governments resident in Canada, does not come within the scope of the M. S. A.

GERMAN ULTIMATUM TO FINNISH GOVERNMENT Washington, Aug. 14.—A report from Stockholm reaching the state department today from sources considered reliable, says the German government has addressed an ultimatum to the Finnish government requiring that the Finnish army prepare to march against the Entente forces on the Murmann coast within two weeks.

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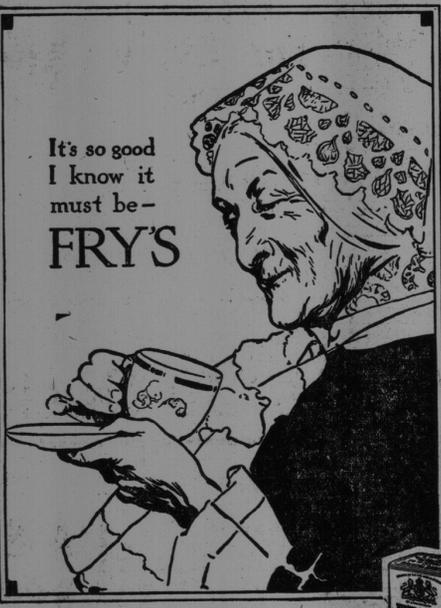
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It's so good I know it must be—FRY'S



Gentle Arts of Peace Flourish in Battle Zone

Canadian Artists Who Sketch in War Surroundings, With Rifles Handy In Case of Need

ARTICLE No. 10. (By Lacey Amy, special correspondent of The Evening Times with the Canadian Forces in France.) With the Canadian Forces in France, July 10—in France you sometimes meet that unexpected almost bewildering juxtaposition of the gentle arts of peace and the grimness of war. I saw it first when a young Montreal private, just turned twenty, drew from his tunic a small sketch book, which will remain to him his happiest memories of war. Fighting was his profession, art his vocation. But yesterday I visited the strangest art gallery the twists of war can contrive. Over the worn sill of a dilapidated French barn I stepped into the usual interior. There was the centre gangway, with the deep mow on either side extending to the hard clay floors. Only the skeleton of the partitions remained, and, stooping under a pole, I entered a bedroom of a half-dozen Canadians—half a foot of straw on the dry clay, two home-made beds consisting of heterogeneous bits of wood holding a piece of wire fencing, and a few little allotments of those who scorned bunks and could sleep comfortably in a muddy trench with trench mortars pelting them. Over in one corner the straw was fresh and clean, with a scattering of tubes and brushes and palettes and sketch boxes a corner reserved by common consent for the most peaceful profession in life. The artist stood there to shake my hand, a grizzled man, many years above the military age, and now exempted from front line fighting, but just in the prime of his career as a painter. He had come a year and a half of trench fighting, and was now taking the place of a fighting man behind the lines. His hanging wall was the top of the stone foundation of the barn and the clay wall above it. His background was a tangle of twisted beams and supports, embedded in mud. Just above his pictures hung the accoutrements of an army—rifles, haversacks, water bottles; we had to move some of them to find a place. His surroundings were straw and untidy bunks and piles of equipment; his audience myself and a dozen interested privates peering over the wall of the mow. A Strange Gallery. One by one he ranged his paintings along the walls of the strange gallery. There were war paintings—horseback wrestling, a forward dressing station beneath its camouflage, a ruin by moonlight, a group of soldiers resting by the road. But he had torn himself sometimes from the most vital thing at hand, and there were landscapes of sweetest tranquility—even two pretty girls feeding swans from a pleasure boat. "I have no regimental recognition," he said, "but the boys do some of my work so I may have time for this." And "the boys" leaned on the timber separating the mow from the drive and made a

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comment. They had accepted it as not worthy of discussion that this fellow soldier of theirs was a better artist than fighter and the least they could do was to leave the way open to his greater work. A few minutes later in another camp a sketch book was handed to me. It was a cartoon of the battalion officers and a wash drawing of two of the hair-raising style. So good were they that I looked the artist up in his billet, the deserted kitchen of an old house. This was a young man whose fighting and drawing were dovetailed to leave a flaw in neither. He had never taken a lesson in drawing. Would the Winnipeg papers be interested in his work, he inquired. For it was a Winnipeg battalion, and that meant that Winnipeg just about hounded the members' conception of things worth while. It was a cosy little spot where I found it, amid trees and quiet old cottages and winding streets without sidewalks, and a church with a history in its very appearance. The day of my visit was a quiet one. A group was painting transport wagons, another everlastingly grooming the already shining horses. There was a tennis court never idle, and a few boys here and there were engaged in the ordinary duties of camp or lying in the sun. The rest were so combining training with pleasure that the former merged into the latter. That day the battalion had marched six miles to meet another Winnipeg battalion on the field of sport. Never before since the war began had the two battalions met, and the day was to be a big one of renewed acquaintance and a swapping of home news. A route march topped off by a day of sport partakes not a whit of the nature of training—and when the sport meeting is with another home battalion this is such a bad old war after all. I was shown the programme of an army battalion's day in camp. The boys are not allowed to deteriorate in body or discipline. To this end the mornings are occupied with physical training, gas drill, musketry, bombing, company training, machine gunning, mock battles and manoeuvres, fire control or any of the various details of a soldier's accomplishments. But after lunch the day is the soldier's own. There are always sports of some kind, and competitions are arranged. That it is profitable in its results is shown in the last encounter in which the battalion figured. In a carefully prepared raid the Germans came over against these eager Canadians. The lines held by us were back of the front trenches held by the British before the German drive. Communication trenches leading over No Man's Land had been sealed, and the advanced Germans were in posts instead of trenches. The enemy attacked in two parties. One was blocked completely. The other worked its way to one of our posts and captured four prisoners and a machine gun. It was making for home with its booty when a company of the battalion of Canadians struck across the open, headed it off, released the prisoners and gun and captured thirteen Germans. Unfortunately a prominent Winnipeg officer was killed. Another was wounded, and he resented it so keenly that he wanted to raid right back. One lieutenant shot three Germans with his pistol. The battalion is proud of its artists; it is prouder of its fighting record. But in the fighting it has many rivals in the corps. In art it inclines to the belief that it stands alone. When an officer shows a newspaperman exultantly a cartoon of himself done by a private he has other things on his mind than the

OVERHEAD CHARGES ON COAL ARE LIMITED

Dealers Must Not Add More Than \$2.60 for Cost of Handling—Fifty Cent Profit in Addition

A recent order received by Dr. J. H. Frink from Fuel Controller McGrath, with the request that it be imparted to the various coal dealers throughout the province provides that the maximum gross margin for the city of St. John on coal shall be \$2.60 per net ton on anthracite and \$2.40 per ton on bituminous. This, in other words, means that the overhead charges, which formerly were made up by each dealer and submitted periodically to the fuel controller, have been fixed and all dealers must do business with their respective margins. The fuel controller will not in any case allow any dealer to add a greater amount to the first cost of the coal for overhead expenses. It is pointed out, however, that the old regulation that each dealer should have fifty cents clear profit over and above his overhead charges still holds good, and on a ton of anthracite coal the dealer may add to the cost of the coal at the mine, demurrage, wharfage fees, harbor dues, if any, cost of discharging or unloading from boats, waterfreights or marine insurance, plus \$2.00, plus profit on the fuel controller placed overhead charges as high as \$4.10 per ton. The same will be allowed on bituminous coal, except that the overhead will be \$2.40 per ton. The overhead of \$2.60 and \$2.40 per ton, as fixed by the fuel controller, includes unloading from cars, delivery, fees for weighing on city scales, if any, and any other charges not specifically excluded by the order. It is understood that reports recently submitted to the fuel controller placed overhead charges as high as \$4.10 per ton.

SACKVILLE TRIBUTE TO ST. JOHN TEACHER

Sackville Tribune: Mr. Albert Nelson, who has been spending a short time in this vicinity as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Elisha Randall, York street, left Saturday for his home in Fairville, N. B. Mr. Nelson, though still a young man, has made a great success of his opportunities. From a country home of moderate pretensions, Mr. Nelson has steadily risen. He first went to the Provincial Normal School at Fredericton and began his teaching career about twenty-seven years ago. A first-class disciplinarian, he was recognized immediately as a teacher of unusual ability. He was soon called to St. John, where he has been engaged in teaching for twenty years, first in La Toile, then in Douglas avenue school and for ten years past in the Winter street school, which has sixteen teachers and an average attendance of nearly 1,000 pupils. While teaching Mr. Nelson studied law and is now a full-fledged barrister of the New Brunswick bar. He was born in Sackville about forty-three years ago, later moving to Buie Verte road, where he attended the common school. Mr. Nelson lives in Fairville, where he owns a beautiful property overlooking the bay and river. He left Saturday by motor for St. John, accompanied by his niece and nephew, Miss Fry Randall and Master Warren Randall.

Thieves early yesterday morning pried the lock off the door of the grocery store of Benjamin Dean, 56 Wall street, entered the store and stole \$6 from the till. A policeman gave chase but the thieves proved too fast for him. letter of discipline and the harshly exclusive claims of war. The ranks work together the better for that.

Water Revenue Kept Pace With Expenditures

Comptroller Reports, Recommending That Unexpended Balances go to Reduce General Assessment

A most interesting statement was presented to the council yesterday afternoon by the comptroller relating to the receipts and expenditures of the water and sewerage department, covering some phases of its activities since 1912 and giving a comparison between the present year and 1917. The statement is as follows: The receipts and expenditures for water maintenance for the last six years you have for comparison: Year. Receipts. Expenditures. 1912. \$104,982.45. \$101,045.82. 1913. 201,415.19. 188,848.62. 1914. 209,689.02. 189,481.64. 1915. 221,427.47. 180,996.65. 1916. 287,629.43. 282,638.24. 1917. 285,908.88. 229,628.09. You will notice that while the cost of the department has been steadily increasing also. During the year 1916, you will note a very large increase in expenditure over going on at Lake Fitzgerald, which amounted to \$21,616.80, also in that same year's expenditure it bore the expense of sewerage maintenance \$9,504.87 and \$8,601.72, in all a total of \$87,123.39 in those three expenditures. The year 1917 had the expenditure of the Moore Hill work in Lancaster of \$80,000 and also \$8,818 in other work for house and hydrant connections, etc., in consequence of this new main. The assessment for the year 1917 was \$153,689.65. The deductions, including discount, were \$18,996.61, during that year and still the revenue almost equalled that of the previous year, being less by \$1,620.61. Water assessment of 1916 unpaid at the end of year 1916 was \$85,510.04 on an assessment of \$169,615.35 of year 1917 was \$14,897.70 on an assessment of \$153,689.65. Difference, \$21,172.84. This shows less asset in water assessment to collect in year 1918 as against that collectible during year of 1917 and the difference in this year's collections. I presume the estimates of water maintenance were made up to absorb the revenue looked for, but I should think that those can be so shaped as will meet their revenue even with sewer maintenance and hydrants against this account. Sewerage maintenance and hydrants are a proper charge against this account. They are the part of the water system distribution, the delivered water to the citizen after use must be taken away. The hydrants are only a part of water distribution, the same as any other distribution and for the fire protection of the assets of the citizens and this protection is included in the assessment. All departments of the city are the city as a whole, just the same as the departments are to any other corporation. There is no unexpended balance that belong for the reduction of assessment. The city should live within its income before taking any special purpose. Setting aside any unexpended balance on a deficit, makes a heavier assessment. In the same connection Commissioner Hilyard presented to council a summary of the activities of that body with respect to the Dry Lake job now under way. It is interesting to note that the city at first purchased about \$20,000 worth of cast iron pipe which it later decided not to use. The pipe is still in stock by the city and the market fluctuations have been so rapid and unusual that at the present time the same pipe is worth in the vicinity of \$40,000, so that the purchase of the pipe was a splendid financial move in any case, even though it was not used.

LOCAL NEWS

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BOY SCOUT CAMP

The Boy Scout camp at Long Island was broken up on Monday. The scouts in camp included some from Trinity and St. Paul's churches together with two boys from Trinity church, Sussex. The boys were in charge of Archdeacon Crowfoot and Rev. D. H. Loweth of Trinity church, assisted by Rev. P. E. Ellis, Assistant Scoutmaster Bets and Sutherland and Troop Leader Coleman. The camp was inspected on Saturday by A. C. Skelton, president of the St. John Boy Scout Association. The tents

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In camp were in charge of Acting Patrol Leaders Fred Strong, Reburn Jack, Stanley Siddmore and Marcell Brean.

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THE WAR SITUATION.

Interest now centres on the battle in progress on the Chaulnes-Roye-Noyon line in the Somme region. The German resistance has stiffened, and the Allied advance is maintained only at certain points and in face of the most determined opposition.

CARPING CRITICISM.

Any effort to create prejudice against the speakers from the United States who attended the St. John Chautauqua, on the ground that they took too much credit for their country in regard to the war, is not based on facts but on prejudice.

The announcement that the British government has formally recognized the Czech-Slovaks as an allied nation is likely to have far-reaching consequences.

Today's cables give further details of the brilliant work of the Canadians on the western front, and also announce that the British have gained further ground in the Lys salient in Flanders.

THE RESERVES.

The unknown quantity in the problem of the western front, as it presents itself to us today, is the number of Allied and German reserves.

The tragic death of Mr. W. H. Fenety and Mrs. Fenety of Fredericton was a great shock to their friends in St. John as well as in Fredericton and other parts of the province.

The provincial government is to be congratulated on the sale of \$300,000 six per cent twenty year debentures at par for use in improving the roads of the province.

King George does not spare himself. He has just completed a nine-days visit to the front during which he passed through places under shell fire.

Prince Arthur of Connaught, who served eighteen months with the Canadians in France, and saw some of their hardest fighting, says he believes there is no more formidable fighting force in all Europe.

British air raids on Frankfurt and Karlsruhe will set the Germans thinking. They started that kind of warfare. Now give them enough of it.

King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, now in Germany, is said to be seen frequently in Allied. The fox of the Balkans sees the terrors of the front.

As usual Germany lies about the recent exploit of her navy when six British motor boats were sunk.

Escaped British prisoners tell of the brutality of the Germans, and of the miserable rations given them.

LIGHTER VEIN

Concerning the lighter side of his work at the bar, Sir Marshall Hall tells a good story of a witness whom he asked to give a definition of absent-mindedness.

"Pa," said little Willie, "what's an echo?" "An echo, my son," answered Pa, casting a mean side glance at little Willie's Ma, "is the only thing on earth that can cheat a woman out of the last word."

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YOUNG MEN MAY JOIN AIR FORCE

That all men of nineteen years of age, recently called upon by the authorities to register under the Military Service Act, may now be added to the strength of the Royal Air Force, providing they have complied with the regulations under the M. S. A., was the information communicated to Captain B. M. Hay, officer in charge of recruiting for the R. A. F. in the maritime provinces, from the officials at Ottawa this week.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Matchett of Sunny Corner of the death of their son, Private Courtney C. Matchett, who went overseas with the 182nd Battalion. He was about twenty-two years old.

Information has been received to the effect that Lieut.-Colonel Elmer W. Jones of Brockville, Ontario, a well-known Canadian officer, has been killed in action. He went overseas as a member of the 21st battalion. Prior to going overseas he was practicing his profession as a lawyer in Toronto.

Sergt.-Major Morrison Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Jordan of Northesk Boom, a member of St. Stephen's congregation, Redbank, has recently won a bar to his D. C. M. He, single-handed, killed the crew of a German trench mortar. He is a member of a Nova Scotia battalion.

Brigadier-General J. H. Elmsley, C. M. G., D. S. O., Royal Canadian Dragoons, has been selected to command the troops which are now being mobilized in Canada for service in Siberia. General Elmsley is at present in England.

Private Fred Nutter of the depot battalion was brought to the city yesterday suffering from paralysis of the lower limbs. He has been at his home in Evandale.

Several soldiers are to be entertained by sea up the river on the steamer Hampton today. The party was arranged by a committee with Mrs. W. H. Shaw at the head. The management of the party is in the hands of the committee in giving the boys a good time.

The soldiers on Partridge Island were given a treat last night when the members of the Red Triangle Club, King Street, entertained them with a programme of songs and recitations. Those who took part in the programme included Steve Matthew, Mr. Chadwick, Miss Ross, and dancing was the feature of the evening. Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy presided at the piano.

Lieut. J. B. Prentice, in charge of the erection of military buildings for recruitment, was on duty at Rivesville, where he completed an inspection of the newly erected hospital there which is to be taken over for use of reserve soldiers. Lieutenant Prentice says that the new wing will be ready for the occupation of soldiers at a very early date.

Major D. W. Clarkson. Major D. W. Clarkson (Special)—E. H. Clarkson, of this city, has received unofficial information that his son, Major D. W. Clarkson has been killed in action with a Montreal battalion in France. He was awarded the Military Cross some months ago. He was an officer in the 1st York regiment and went overseas in command of a draft of men from the Composite battalion, Halifax.

"Slightly wounded" was the word which came to the home of Mrs. Philip Granman in Douglas avenue yesterday afternoon when she received a letter from Charles P. Granman, a well known officer of St. John. The cable received by Mrs. Granman was from Lieutenant Granman himself and was dated from an hospital at Plymouth, England, which would indicate that although slightly wounded still it has been sufficient to give him "a Blighty."

Camp Sussex Visited. Brigadier-General A. H. Macdonell, G. O. C. Lt.-Col. A. H. H. Powell, A. A. G., and Major Blanchard, C. R. C. E., paid an official visit to Camp Sussex yesterday afternoon.

BAND CONCERT IN NORTH END. Victoria Square will be the scene of tonight's band concert. The following programme will be rendered by the Temple Band, under the leadership of Bandmaster Jones:

O Canada. Bagley Overture, Lutspiegel. Keler Bela Serenade, Cupid's Charms. Miller Waltz, Sounds from the Opera. Merne Two-Step, Oh, Johann. Olman Selection, Caledonian Bouquet. Arr. by C. J. Hayes. Waltz, Nights of Gladness. Ancliffe The Season's Favourite. Selection, Southern Memories. Arr. by C. J. Hayes. March, Argandah. Thompson God Save the King. George Moody Reid died recently at his home in Albert. Mr. Reid was sixty-seven years of age and is survived by two daughters. He was a son of the late John Reid and was a native of New Horton, N. B.

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MORNING WAR SUMMARY

(Undated War Lead by The Associated Press.) The strength of the German opposition against the Allied troops from immediately north of the Somme River to the region just below Roye, apparently has checked, for the moment at least, their march eastward in the process of clearing the Amiens-Montdidier sector of the enemy.

It has not, however, prevented the French on the extreme southern end of the line from winning additional points of great strategic value in the hill and forest region between the Oise and the Meuse, where Lassigny and Noyon are the ultimate objectives and the capture of which not only would result possibly in the forced evacuation by the Germans of the Noyon-Roye-Chaulnes line, but also would have a marked effect on the battle line running southeastward past Solsois and thence along the Vesle River.

The battle line in the north and on the centre remains virtually as it stood Monday, although all the Allied troops have bettered slightly their status, at least additional prisoners. The Americans and French at last accounts still were in the environs of Bray, north of the river, while south of the river the Germans continue their possession of Chaulnes and Roye, which seemingly they intend to defend at all hazards.

Fresh reinforcements and large numbers of guns have been brought up by the enemy to aid him in his endeavors to hold the line, which is essential to the safety of the German armies now in the pocket described by the Somme on the north and east and the Oise on the south.

The Germans are not merely on the defensive. At salient points here and there they are delivering violent counter-attacks against the Allies and also bombarding fiercely the rear areas.

Notwithstanding the enemy's efforts, however, Chaulnes is receiving a mighty visitation of shells from the Allied guns, and Roye has been so encroached upon that it is now under a heavy cross fire from both the north and south, and seemingly both towns ultimately must be evacuated. An added danger to Roye is the fact that the French in their operations are knocking at the door of Lassigny, about seven miles to the south, and also are pressing forward eastward towards Noyon in a wedge-driving manoeuvre which not only is outflanking Roye but is bringing Noyon into the pocket of the big guns.

Unofficial reports are to the effect that the Germans, fearing capture in the pocket between Roye and the Oise already are retreating along the Vesle valley towards Noyon, and if the statements should prove true it is not unlikely that the entire German battle line to the north will give way in unison and that there may be a readjustment of the enemy front from Solsois to Rheims.

Far to the north from Ypres to Albert there has been considerable activity on the part of British and French forces against the Germans. The latest German communications assert that all the attacks were repulsed.

On the Vesle River the Germans in a attack against Fismette, which is held by the Americans and French.

Copenhagen, Aug. 13.—The following communication of the German admiralty dealing with the recent encounter off Ameland in which several British motor boats were destroyed and a German ship was brought down, has been received here:

"British naval forces approaching a German bay were immediately attacked with bombs and machine guns. We destroyed three fast boats and damaged another. A battle cruiser and a torpedo boat were hit by bombs, the latter being sunk. "Our naval forces, which immediately approached the field of battle, were unable to meet the retiring enemy. Our casualties amounted to an airship, commanded by Corvett, captain of reserve Process, and an airplane. "The British admiralty, referring to the statement of the German admiralty with regard to the engagement off Ameland, says: "Our losses have been correctly stated. No ship was hit or damaged in any way whatever."

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are declared to have driven the Allies to the southern bank of the river. A counter-attack, however, resulted in the re-occupation of Fismette. "The Czech-Slovaks in Russia, who are opposing the Bolshevik element, have been formally recognized by Great Britain as an allied nation and their armies as an allied force waging war against the Teutonic allies.

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VERDICT OF MURDER AGAINST MEMBERS OF DOMINION POLICE

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 13.—The jury in the inquest on Amede Picard held here by Coroner Bachand tonight, brought in a verdict of murder against two members of the civil branch of the dominion police, J. J. Barton and Henry Crenall.

TO REOPEN COAL ROAD. As a result of action on the part of Dr. J. H. Frink, provincial fuel administrator, backed by the provincial government, a seven-mile railway between Adamsville and Beersville, Kent county, will soon be reopened to tap a valuable coal mine which has been idle for some

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- Men's White Canvas Bala—Worth \$2.75 . . . \$1.98
- Men's Cream Canvas Bala—Worth \$2.25 . . . \$1.50
- Ladies' Tan Button Boots—Worth \$5.00 to \$7.00 . . . \$2.98
- Ladies' Patent Button Boots—Worth \$4.00 to \$6.00 . . . \$2.98
- Ladies' Patent Low Shoes—Sizes 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2. Worth \$3.00 to \$5.00 . . . \$1.98
- Boys' Tan Low Shoes—Size 5 only . . . \$1.50
- Youths' Tan Low Shoes—Size 13 only . . . \$1.25
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Preparing To Introduce New Assessment Act

Council Wants Time for Consideration—Discount of Five Per Cent on Water Bills Until October 2

At a meeting of the common council held yesterday afternoon a lively discussion took place between the commissioners as the result of one department billing the other. The trouble started when Commissioner Fisher of the public works department billed the electric department for \$185 for electric current used in turning out certain blue prints of work to be done on fire stations. Commissioner McLellan in return billed the public works department for \$10 for the services of an electrical expert in his department in repairing the blue print machine.

Reports of the committee of the whole were read and adopted.

Commissioner McLellan brought in a recommendation that the tenders of Lewis and Thomas Stevens be accepted for the placing of new flooring in No. 1 look and ladder station and No. 7 fire station, the former quoted at \$447.96 and the latter at \$992.60. He then recommended that bonds be issued for an amount not exceeding \$1,100 to cover the expenditure. The motion had passed, when objection was raised to the issuance of bonds for so small an amount, by Commissioners Fisher and Bullock.

Finally Commissioner McLellan, with the consent of his colleagues, withdrew his motion and substituted a motion that the money for this work be provided by the commissioner of finance and if at the end of the year there was not sufficient surplus from his department to take care of it that it will be assessed for next year.

Five Per Cent Discount.
Citizens will have the opportunity of saving five per cent. on their water taxes by paying them before the 15th of October 2, according to a decision by the council at yesterday's meeting. Commissioner Hilyard asked if the work at Dry Lake was to be charged up with \$20,000 worth of cast iron pipe that was purchased and was not being used on the work. The council directed him to transfer the account and credit this pipe to stock on hand.

Assessment Matters.
The chairman of the board of assessors addressed a letter to the council pointing out that the application of the new assessment act would entail a lot of additional work for his department. He pointed out that with a shortage of two clerks this year, as compared with the preceding year, the work was completed in the same time and he recommended that the salaries of three of his clerks be increased, one \$200, the second \$100 and the third \$50. He also

Practise of Medicine Guesswork

It has been said that the practice of medicine at best is simply a game of guesswork, because the action of drugs varies to a great degree upon different individuals; but when a medicine has lived for forty years, constantly growing in sales and popularity there can be no greater proof of its merit. Such a medicine is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that famous old remedy and herb remedy, now recognized from shore to shore as the standard remedy for female ills.

MONTREAL'S BAD RECORD.
Montreal papers state that during a recent hot week 128 children under five years of age died in that city of 890,000. During the same week—equally hot here—only 31 children under five died in Toronto with a population of 460,000. From June 1 to July 13 the Montreal deaths of children of this age are numbered 1,820; Toronto's record was 174. In other words, allowing for Montreal's larger population, the record there was ten times as large as Toronto's. This may be modified to some extent by the larger families of children in that city, but this does not nearly begin to explain the discrepancy. The foregoing figures are for children under five. Montreal's 1917 death rate for children under one year of age was 5.91 per thousand of population; Toronto's was 2.34.

RESERVE TEACHERS.
At the meeting of the teachers' committee which was held in the school board rooms on Monday evening the following names were added to the list of the reserve staff: Miss Julia T. Crawford, of Kingston (N. B.); Miss Winifred Green, of St. John; Miss Dorothy B. Hickson, of St. John, daughter of the late Arthur W. Hickson, principal of Centennial school, and Miss Margaret Newcombe, of St. John West.

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Write to any of the provincial committees direct to the Canada Food Board for a five-cent booklet on the canning, drying and storing of vegetables. It will give you process in detail and in canning, as well as everything else, prevention is better than cure.

Food Board Flashes For Feminine Folk

Here is one of the many reasons why sugar is scarce today—and especially in Europe.

Sugar production in France has fallen to less than 25 per cent of the pre-war output because in the early days of the war, when the German troops were retreating from occupied portions of France, they took pains to destroy virtually all of the sugar mills that would have assisted the French to maintain their sugar crops.

During the year 1912-13, 213 French mills turned out 967,440 short tons of sugar. For 1914-15, 65 mills produced only 206,408 short tons. To further complicate the French sugar situation the yield per acre of sugar beets decreased from 18.80 short tons per acre in 1912-13 to 11.70 short tons per acre in 1914-15.

If it had not been for the assistance given by the North American continent the majority of the French people would be going entirely without sugar at the present time.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN IN HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE.

School of Household Science—Macdonald College Offers Various Courses.

The School of Household Science, Macdonald College, re-opens in September, and applications for the various courses are now being received.

Probably never before has the need for women trained in some branch of work been so felt, or never before has the demand been so great for women who have specialized in some profession. Graduates in household science are being sought on every hand and the young woman who has specialized in this branch of work is greatly in demand.

The institution administration course of two years' duration, offered by the School of Household Science, Macdonald College, prepares young women for such work and graduates hold positions as hospital dietitians, social service workers, directors of college dormitories, and in other phases of work. To a woman who takes this course great possibilities in the field of home economics are opened up; several graduates have been able to render excellent service to their country in various phases of war work.

To the one who wishes to have a better insight into the management of the home, a better knowledge of food values and other subjects which lead to betterment of home conditions, the one-year or homemaker course is well adapted. During the year thorough courses in nutrition, cookery, dressmaking and millinery are given, also work in laundry, household management and household furnishings. Lectures in home nursing, physiology, household accounts, are included with lecture and laboratory work in bacteriology, chemistry and physics. In addition each student is given an opportunity of doing



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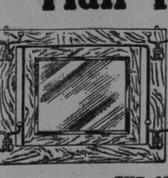
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Lace Trimmed Satin, Jap Silk and Crepe de Chine Camisoles

Women have come to realize that Georgette Crepe, Crepe-de-Chine or other Summery Waists or Dresses can be made doubly attractive if worn with a Lace Trimmed Satin Camisole. Here are Camisoles of various kinds, made of Satin or Silk in white and delicate pinks, lace and ribbon trimmed, at..... Prices from \$1.25 to \$3.25

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Wash Satin—White only, Lace Top and Sleeves..... Price \$3.50
Pink Crepe-de-Chine—Short Sleeves, Lace Trimmed..... Price \$3.00
All White—Same as Above..... Price \$2.75

WHITEWEAR SECTION—2ND FLOOR

DROWNED WHEN CAR RAN INTO AN OPEN DRAW

Tragic Death of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety of Fredericton—Car Evidently Out of Control

Fredericton, Aug. 13.—William T. H. Fenety, of Fredericton, and his wife lost their lives this afternoon when the motor car which Mr. Fenety was driving went through the open draw of the bridge spanning the Oromocto river near its mouth and sank in some sixteen feet of water. The body of Mr. Fenety was recovered after being in the water about half an hour and it was thought that there were signs of life. A pulmonologist owned by the city of Fredericton was rushed by motor to the scene of the accident and was used under the direction of Dr. C. P. Holden but without result.

The draw in the bridge was open to admit of the passage of the tug Daniel at about 4 o'clock. The Fenety car was first observed coming down the Oromocto hill at a high rate of speed, being on a run from Public Landing to Fredericton. Residents of Oromocto village noticed that the car was making an unusual noise and believe that there was something wrong with it.

Smashed Through Chains.

The chains which guard the bridge when the draw is open were in place closing it to traffic. The car smashed through the chain at the Oromocto end of the bridge approach and kept on at high speed. Mr. Fenety, who was driving, evidently applied his brakes for the bridge flooring is scored and torn almost the entire distance from the position of the chain to the draw. In that distance the car made a great plunge against the bridge railing and another which carried it into the open draw. Some believe that the driver, realizing that his car was out of control was trying to turn or upset it.

Those who witnessed the terrible accident at once bent efforts to take the occupants of the car from the water. Word was sent to Fredericton and relatives and friends at once went to Oromocto in cars. Mr. Fenety's body was recovered in about half an hour. The car was brought to the shore and was raised. It had been thought that the body of Mrs. Fenety was caught under official at McAdam; Linden Fenety, in the west; Mrs. E. S. Carter of Rothesay; Mrs. Chas. G. D. Roberts of Ottawa; Miss Georgiana Fenety of Fredericton.

The late Mrs. Fenety was a daughter of the late Rev. John Black, for years rector of Kingsclear. She is survived by two brothers and three sisters, John Black of the Yukon; William Black of Victoria (B.C.); Mrs. E. M. V. Paddock of St. John; Mrs. Monieff of Ireland and Mrs. M. B. Dixon of Fredericton. Five children, three sons and two daughters, survive the deceased—Ernest, now in the west, who served overseas with the 10th Battalion, C.E.F.; Witter W. O. Fenety, a student at the University of Toronto; Jack Fenety of St. John; Mrs. Fred P. Colter and Miss Mary Fenety of Fredericton.

TO LAUNCH ON AUG. 22

The "War Fundy," being built by Messrs. Grant & Horne on the shores of Courtenay Bay will be launched on August 24.

The hull has been painted and the auxiliary engines are all installed, together with the necessary pumps and tanks and it should not be long after she meets the waters of the Bay of Fundy, that she will be ready for her maiden voyage. The cabins are being erected and completed inside and the upper works will be entirely completed before the date of launching, providing no unforeseen occurrence hampers the progress of the builders.

As soon as the "War Fundy" takes to the water the keel of a second and similar ship will be laid on the blocks and work begun upon her.

GUILTY OF ASSASSINATION

A man, razor in hands, was caught by his wife assassinating not an enemy, but a comrade—what he needed was Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's safe, painless and cures. Try "Putnam's"—cures so fast, 25c. at all dealers.

N. B. PLUMBERS MEET.

The New Brunswick plumbers held their annual convention at the Log Cabin Fishing Club at Loch Lomond yesterday. About fifty members from Moncton, Fredericton, Woodstock, St. Stephen, Campbellton, St. John and other parts of the province were in attendance. The party left the city at 9 o'clock in the morning by automobile. The usual routine business was transacted and in the discussion which followed, many suggestions were made for the improvement of sanitary conditions in the province. The following officers were elected for the coming year: George F. Dorman, of Moncton, president; R. E. Fitzgerald, of St. John, vice-president; Harry W. Thorne, Fredericton, secretary-treasurer; Robert D. Harrington, of St. John, sergeant-at-arms. The date and place for the next meeting were fixed for January, 1919, in St. John. Dinner and supper were served at the Log Cabin and after the business session a pleasant time was spent in sports, music and entertainments. The party returned to the city at 10 o'clock.

it but such was not the case. Her hand bag and a lunch basket floated to the surface when the car was moved. The car was placed on the bank by means of blocks. It is much damaged and it is not thought that it will be possible to ascertain whether or not it was out of order.

Mrs. Fenety's Body Recovered.

The body of Mrs. Fenety was recovered at 9 o'clock tonight. Those who saw the car take the plunge into the open draw say that Mr. Fenety jumped and Mrs. Fenety stood up in the car.

The late W. T. H. Fenety was a son of the late George E. Fenety, of Fredericton, some time king's printer. In early life he was connected with the Record newspaper in St. John. Later he conducted a book and stationery business in Fredericton leaving that business some eighteen years ago. Since that date he has been prominently identified with theatrical and amusement enterprises in this city. For many years he was lessee and manager of the Fredericton City Opera House and until quite recent times all theatrical bookings for this city were made through him.

When motion pictures came in he established the Unique Theatre in the Masonic Building, Carleton street, and later the Gaiety Theatre in the same street. The two were amalgamated when the new Gaiety Theatre was established in Queen street, about a year ago, his son, W. W. O. Fenety, who had been associated with the Gaiety Theatre, joined him in the new enterprise. Through his connection with theatrical and amusement enterprises the deceased was widely known throughout Canada and the United States.

For a time it was thought that Miss Mary Fenety, daughter of the deceased, was in the car at the time of the accident, as it was her intention to return to Fredericton with her parents. Fortunately she did not accompany them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenety had gone to Public Landing on Sunday.

The late Mr. Fenety is survived by three brothers and three sisters, Harris G. Fenety, barrister, of Fredericton; Walter Fenety, Dominion immigration officer, of Fredericton.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

The Chatham school board has granted an increase of \$50 a year to each of the female teachers and \$50 to the principal.

Two young men and two young women had a narrow escape from being killed while out for a joy ride last Sunday night near Dorchester, N. B. Their car turned turtle and was badly wrecked. The occupants were badly shaken up and sustained quite severe cuts and bruises.

While three children were out picking berries near McDonald's quarry, Amherst, N. S., one of the number, Raymond Hanson, fell into water sixty feet deep and was drowned. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hanson of Amherst.

Hon. Horace P. Graham, governor of Vermont, has asked that an examination be made of the accounts for which he was responsible when he was state auditor. This followed charges that there were discrepancies in the books of the auditor's office and that there is a shortage of \$20,000.

Two Monton boys were sentenced to two years in the St. John Industrial School yesterday for stealing government theatre tax tickets. A third was given six months' suspended sentence.

At a meeting of trades unionists held in Calgary last evening statements made by Hon. T. W. Crothers, of the effect

Patronage System Is Surely Gone

Civil Service Commission Advises For Nine High-Salaried Officials

Ottawa, Aug. 13.—Notice is given in the Canada Gazette that the Civil Service Commission will receive applications from persons qualified to fill the following positions:

Two assistant receivers-general in the department of finance, one for Calgary and the other for Regina, at a minimum salary of \$2,500 per annum, with an annual increase of \$100 up to \$3,000.

Two accountants for the offices of the assistant receivers-general at Calgary and Regina, at an initial salary of \$1,600 per annum, with increases of \$100 up to \$1,800. An executive head and four assistants for work in connection with the war loans in the department of finance, at a salary of \$3,000 for the executive head, and \$2,500 for the assistants. The appointments to the position of executive head and assistants will be made for the duration of the war, with the possibility that these officers will be absorbed into the finance department at a later date.

Applications for any of these positions must be in the offices of the civil service commission by Sept. 12, with an extension of one week for candidates from British Columbia.

Ohio Man Is Modern Wizard

Discovers magic ether compound which loosens a corn so it lifts right out

Good news spreads rapidly and drug-gie here are kept busy dispensing this freestone, the ether discovery of a Cincinnati genius, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers. Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freestone, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so shriveled that it lifts out without a particle of pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns.

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AUTOS FOR SALE

Three Ford Delivery Cars. Three Ford Touring Cars. One 1-ton Truck (Kelly-Springfield).

Used Cars for Sale

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FOR SALE GENERAL

FOR SALE—SEWING MACHINE bargain. I used Singer drop-head machine, \$16. I Singer hand machine (newly new), \$12. Special prices on several new machines. F. F. Bell, 86 Germain street. 83195-8-21

HORSES, ETC.

FOR SALE—THOROUGHbred spaniel puppy two months old. 114 St. James street. 83120-8-17

AUCTIONS

Parlor, Dining-room, Kitchen and Bedroom Furniture, Etc. At Residence BY AUCTION I am instructed to sell at residence No. 21 Horsfield street, on Thursday morning, Aug. 14th, at 10 o'clock, the entire contents of house, consisting of the furnishings of nine rooms together with hall and stair carpets.

British Chivalry and Its Contrast

(Vancouver World.) Sir Walter Raleigh, the well-known Oxford scholar, recently published a book with the attractive title "The Soul of England" and in it he included a little story which is used by H. A. L. Fisher, British Minister of Education, to show that we are fighting to defend a great civilization: "A month before war broke out there was a German student in Oxford who attended a picture palace. It was crowded with young Englishmen, members of the university. Suddenly the Kaiser appeared on the film, and a young Englishman who was sitting behind the German made an insulting observation, whereupon the young German turned round and boxed the Englishman's ears. Upon that the whole theatre burst out into applause. The young Englishman felt that the British German had been unfairly treated, that his Kaiser had been abused in his presence in rather an ungentlemanly manner. A German came to a friend of mine—his old tutor—afterwards and said: "You are a wonderful people! He told the story and said: "Such chivalry as that would have been quite incomprehensible in my country. Well, that is really our civilization. That little story gives you the whole of our civilization. That chivalry is quite apparent in the private soldier and in the officer. It is apparent through the whole of English society, and I feel that so long as that spirit remains among us we can hold our heads high among the nations of the earth. A striking contrast to this is a dramatic incident told by a sergeant of some recent fighting which brings out strongly the difference between the Briton and the German: "I was lying wounded in a shallow trench when I saw a German approach an English lad who was lying on the parapet, badly hit on the leg. He was unable to move, but the German deliberately bayoneted him through the body as he lay—a dastardly act. At that moment I noticed our young sergeant-major, who was standing some yards away from the two. I shall never forget his expression; he was convulsed with horror and loathing. He did not attempt to shoot or stab the enemy, but in a burst of unmovable rage disdainfully dropped his rifle and leaped at the Hun—sprang at him like a bulldog. Before the foe had time to realize what had happened the young Englishman had bit by the throat and literally choked the life out of him and then lying the body away. In my mind's eye, even now I can see the dead German lying beside his poor victim, and in all my twenty months at the front never did I witness an incident so terrible, so dramatic, and yet so splendid! The Sequence. (The hotels in Washington were so crowded that many were unable to find beds—news from the capital.) But probably, though it might not be known, there were lots of "bunk" about the town."

ARE YOU GOING TO MOVE; OR HAVE YOU A HOUSE OR FLAT TO RENT?

This page of the TIMES is the city directory for the home seeker; and for the landlord who wants a tenant.

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—MODERN FLAT FURNISHED. Apply afternoons 116 St. James. 83156-8-21

FURNISHED ROOMS

FURNISHED ROOM, 40 HORSFIELD street. 83157-8-21

STORES, BUILDINGS

STORE, UNION STREET, WEST. Store and building; also store 594 Main. Apply Frank Garson, 8 St. Paul. 79282-8-20

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED House, 6 Rooms and Bath, 944 Union street. Apply K. D. Spear, 177 Union street. 83095-8-19

WANTED

WANTED—BOARD IN GOOD Catholic home for girl three years old. Phone 845-21. 83154-8-16

COOKS AND MAIDS

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN OR strong girl for general housekeeping. Address Mrs. J. Harvey Brown. 83125-8-21

BOARDING

BOARD AND ROOM FOR TWO gentlemen, every convenience, 230 Duke street, upper bell. 82926-8-17

FLATS WANTED

WANTED—FURNISHED FLAT OR suite of rooms, comfortable and with conveniences. Box R 17, Times Office. 83149-8-28

WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID, GIRL for linen room, girl to attend ladies' entrance. Royal Hotel. 83101-8-20

WANTED—MALE HELP

FIREMAN WANTED—APPLY J. Roderick & Son, Britain street. 83145-8-21

GIRLS WANTED

We have openings for several girls and young women to learn brushmaking. Good pay to start and opportunity to learn a business with no slack seasons. Apply T. S. SIMMS & CO. LIMITED

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"STENOGRAPHERS, BOOKKEEPERS, clerks supplied. Your needs supplied at 157 Prince Wm. Phone 831-15 Winter or Mr. Smith at Main 121."

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LOST—ON SUNDAY EVENING, garnet brooch, star shaped, with Pitt, Lester, south side King street to Trinity church. Finder will be rewarded. Leave at Times office. 83150-8-15

TO PURCHASE

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, SECOND-hand baby carriage in good condition. Address R 14, care Times. 83125-8-17

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COAL teamster. Apply 5 Mill street. 83164-8-21

WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—GIRL BETWEEN AGES of 15-17 years to care for child two years old. Apply 4 Wentworth street. 83091-8-15

BOYS WANTED

WANTED—BOYS TO SHINE SHOES—good wages. Imperial Cleaners, corner King and Charlotte streets. 83028-8-15

LABORERS WANTED

Vacancy for two good Firemen and Engine Room Night Watchman. Apply this evening to Engineer S. S. Empress, D. A. R. Harf. 8-18.

AGENTS WANTED

SALESMEN AND DISTRICT MANAGERS wanted throughout the Maritime Provinces to handle the most liberal accident and health policy issued by the foremost accident and health insurance company in the Dominion of Canada, operating under the supervision of the Dominion and provincial insurance departments. Attractive commission and early advancement for good men. Thomas J. Barrill, Merchants' Casualty Company, Higgins Building, Moncton, N. B. 79415-8-21

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ROOMS TO LET

ROOM AND BOARD, 100 WRIGHT street. 83113-8-21

SITUATIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED AS CARE-taker for invalid lady. Address 128 Burgess street. 83093-8-20

POSITION WANTED BY NURSE

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SEALED TENDERS

Addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Temporary Barracks, Fredericton, N. B.", will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, August 27, 1918, for the construction of Temporary Barracks, Fredericton, N. B. Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Superintendent of Dominion Buildings, St. John, N. B., and the caretaker of the Public Building, Fredericton, N. B. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions set forth therein. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender. By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, August 7, 1918. 8-18

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in a certain indenture of Leasehold Mortgage dated the thirtieth day of August A. D. 1909, and made between Charles E. Colwell, of the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, Book-keeper, of the first part, and John Colwell, of the said City of Saint John, Gentleman, of the second part, and to first bounds of the office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John in Book 106, pages 169 to 171, No. 62967, default having been made in the payment of the said principal sum as well as the interest thereon, there will be sold at public auction, at Chubb's Corner, in the City of Saint John, in the County of Saint John, on Saturday, the fourteenth day of September, next, at twelve o'clock noon, the leasehold lands and premises particularly mentioned and described in said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—All that lot of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Saint John aforesaid and bounded as follows: Beginning on the easterly side of Adelaide Road at a point distant sixty-five feet eight inches southerly from the southern end of the railing of the Adelaide Road Bridge; running thence easterly at right angles to Adelaide Road until it strikes the old Adelaide Road; thence southerly along the same fifty-seven feet; thence southerly and parallel to first bounds to the Adelaide Road; thence northerly along the same fifty-two feet more or less to the place of beginning. Being the lot of land demised by Count Robert Visart debury and Lucy Gertrude, his wife to one Thomas Brown, by Indenture of Lease bearing date the seventh day of November A. D. 1894, and duly recorded in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John in Book 55, page 57. Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, for the purpose of realizing the principal money and interest secured by the said Leasehold Mortgage. Dated this sixth day of August A. D. 1918. JOHN COLWELL, Mortgagee. J. STAN TAIT, Solicitor. 9-18

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Upper flat 516 Lancaster street, \$10.50. Flat 43 Erin, \$6.00 and \$9.00. Flat 102 Metcalf, \$7.00. Lower flat 5 St. David, \$10.00. J. W. MORRISON, 99 Prince William St. Phone M. 3441-21

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Am Car & Fdy, Am Locomotive, Am Beet Sugar, etc.

THE LUMBER MARKET

Boston, Aug. 13.—It is quite hopeless to contend that the commercial market is firm at the government maximum prices. From manufacturers both on this and the other side of the border purchases of different sizes may be made for appreciably less, however, unfortunately some people may affirm the contrary.

TO REMAIN YOUNG flush the bowels regularly with "RIGA" PURGATIVE WATER

Quality is the Important Factor in buying clothes. You will get better and longer wear by increasing the quality by lowering the cost.

he can find anyone here to pay him so much is a question not apparently hard to answer. As a wholesaler cannot ask more than \$36 it seems very highly improbable that he will consent to pay a manufacturer \$39.

With the Canadian Forces in the Field, 10 p. m., Aug. 12, via London, Aug. 13.—(By J. F. B. Livesey, Canadian Press Correspondent)—The enemy launched three counter-attacks yesterday against the Canadian division holding the northern part of our sector, but was repulsed on each occasion with sanguinary losses.

REAL EYEGLASS COMFORT is assured when complete eyeglass service is rendered. The care and attention to your eyeglass needs does not stop when you purchase your glasses from us.

HONORS WON BY OUR CAVALRY AND MACHINE GUNS... Captured Brigade Headquarters In a Strange Procession—"The Canadians, Foch's Pets"

daughter. For the past week the old house has been echoing with sounds of renewed joy and laughter.

BELAND'S VILLAGE IS QUAIN TITTLE SPOT... The War is Very Far Removed From St. Joseph de Beauce

Five Soldiers Dead—No Food Regulations There—Lack of Education is Told

SALE OF OLD STORES... BY direction of the Hon. the Minister of Militia and Defence, the following list of Leather, Metals, Rubber, etc., in Ordnance Depots in Military Districts No. 1, London; No. 2, Toronto; No. 3, Kingston; No. 4, Montreal; No. 5, Quebec; No. 6, St. John, N. B.; No. 7, Winnipeg; No. 8, Regina, and Headquarters Depot, Ottawa, is for sale by public tender at the stations named:



Perfect for the Pipe... Master Mason 20 cents... The Perfect Plug Smoking Tobacco

HIS MAJESTY ON TOUR OF FRONT... London, Aug. 14.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's Limited)—Reuter's correspondent at British army headquarters cables that the king arrived in France on the 8th of August and immediately inspected the method of landing heavy material like tanks, big guns and locomotives.

the envelope to be marked "Tender," will be received until noon, August 31, 1918. Delivery of the goods to be taken at the Ordnance Depot in each Station, and must be removed immediately tender is accepted, and payment made.

HARD HITTING AT SOUTH END GAME

Franklins Are Heavy Batters—New League Series Now Finally Started After Potts' Trophy

Wow! Which being interpreted, means that those colored boys of the south end are some ball players. And that goes, whether they are asked to pull a high fly down out of the fog, or land a wallop that sends the sphere a quarter of a mile.

AIR FIGHTING SHOWS ADVANTAGE TO THE BRITISH

Thirty Hostile Machines Brought Down and Seven Out of Control—Tons of Bombs Dropped in Enemy Territory

London, Aug. 13—The following official communication dealing with aviation was issued this evening: "Work in the air was actively carried on in all branches August 12. On the battlefield our balloons were pushed forward close behind the line and sent down much useful information. Our artillery and reconnaissance machines were busily occupied all day.

MURMAN COAST A GREAT PRIZE

An Invaluable Asset For The Commerce of Russia

London, Aug. 1—The landings of allied forces on the Murman coast has directed attention to that secluded region. The origin of the name Murman is doubtful, says The London Sphere, but it is probable that it is a corruption of Norman (i. e. Norwegian), the district being adjacent to Norway.

SALVATION ARMY IN ITS WORK FOR THE SOLDIERS

As Seen By a Noted War Correspondent

London, July 15—The well-known publishing house of Hodder and Stoughton has just issued a handy little book bearing the title "Serving the King's Men," and setting forth the various ways in which The Salvation Army is helping the Imperial cause. The author is F. A. Mackenzie, the famous war correspondent, who during a succession of visits to the front as the representative of the leading London journals, has gathered many inspiring incidents of the Salvation Army's work on behalf of the troops.

Italians In France Under Garibaldi

Grandson of Famous "Liberator" Tells How He Became a Mexican General

All Italy rejoices that it is Peppino Garibaldi who represents the country at the head of its army on the scorching front in France. The namesake of Giuseppe Garibaldi, most famous of Italian liberators, has more of the traits of his grandfather than any other member of the family.



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SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD National League. In Brooklyn--Philadelphia 1, Brooklyn 2. Second game--Philadelphia 8, Brooklyn 4 (12 innings). In New York--Boston 4, New York 5. Second game--Boston 2, New York 5. In Chicago--Pittsburg 1, Chicago 2. Second game--Pittsburg 7, Chicago 4. In St. Louis--Cincinnati 6, St. Louis 0. International League. In Jersey City--Binghamton 5, Jersey City 1. In Baltimore--Newark 1, Baltimore 9. Second game--Newark 3, Baltimore 5. In Toronto--Hamilton 2, Toronto 4. In Rochester--Rochester 14, Buffalo 3. Games Last Evening. A good game of baseball was played last evening on the Barrack square between the Professionals and the All Stars. The former won out by a score of 1 to 0. On the same grounds the Managers defeated the Prevaricators. Morrissey and Irvine formed the battery for the winners and O'Neill and J. Reid for the losers. THE TURF. Murphy Wins Three. Philadelphia, Aug. 13--Tommy Murphy had a field day at the second day's races of the Grand Circuit Meeting at Belmont Track, the Poughkeepsie reinsman driving the winner in three of the four races on the card. The other race was open to Philadelphia horses only. Murphy landed Chestnut Peter a winner in the three-year-old trot for a purse of \$2,000 without any trouble in straight heats and took the \$2,000 stake for 2.14 pacers in straight heats with Oro Fino, stepped to the fastest heat of the day--2.09 1/2--in the second heat. Murphy's third victory was in the 2.13 trot which went to Allan Watts in straight heats. Why Mary Was Contrary. Mary had a little lamb-- And here's a new suggestion: When asked to have some more, she did. And suffered indigestion! --Cartoons Magazine.

At the GAIETY In Fairville TONIGHT Gladys Brockwell in "The She Devil" Three-Act Drama "JERRY'S PICNIC" Cab Comedy "GUSSIE RIVALS JONAH" Keystone Comedy USUAL PRICES FRI and SAT. CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "ONE A.M." THURSDAY NIGHT The Happyland Four Presenting "Damaged No-Goods" A rollicking comedy skit, during the action of which the members of the company will introduce song, jokes, stories and dances. NEW PICTURE BILL Two Shows 7.30 and 9 Prices: 15c. and 25c.

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"Everywoman" Bares Humanity's Disguises At Imperial This Week

A theatrical and musical attraction which might be advertised on circus lines as a three-ring affair, is the musical spectacle "Everywoman," which Henry W. Savage will disclose at the Imperial Friday and Saturday of this week, with Saturday matinee. It contains as much drama as the ordinary drama, as much opera as the usual opera, and as much musical comedy, as the majority of musical comedies. Besides there are tons of scenery and electrical effects, costumes fresh from the workshops, and an entire symphony orchestra. The company is one of the largest which has ever been sent on tour. Included in the dramatic and musical ensembles are 100 people. The title role is played by Paula Shay. Among other distinguished names in the cast are: Percy Parsons, Natalia Lynn, Winifred Baldwin, Margaret Yeats, June Rambeau, J. K. Hutchinson, Charles Durnall, Norman Lane, Frank Kilday, J. W. McCarthy and Fred Hampton.



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LOCAL NEWS In the Brookville court last evening some evidence was taken in the case of a man charged with a serious offence and the case set over until tonight. A meeting of Local No. 810, I. L. A., Coal Handlers and Trimmers' Union, was held last evening. President P. Freestone was in the chair. Rev. Dr. William Harman Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, Boston, and one of the foremost pulpit orators of the United States, was in the city yesterday. USE THE WANT AD. WAY

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LOCAL NEWS

WEST SIDE LEAGUE.
The Courtenays and Giants will be the contesting teams in the West Side Baseball League this evening. As both teams will have their strongest line-up a good game is anticipated.

MAIN STREET REPAIRS.
A crew of men are engaged today making repairs to sections of the concrete pavement in Main street which was torn up some time ago by the street railway when they were having their rails and couplings welded together. Granite blocks are being placed in the holes and the grooves filled with pebbles and tar.

THOMAS A. LEONARD.
The death occurred at Petersville, Queens county, on Friday, Aug. 9, of Thomas A. Leonard. He is survived by one brother, Richard, at home, and two sisters, Mrs. David Hamilton of Westfield and Mrs. Chas. McBeath of Public Landing. The funeral was held on Sunday at 3 p. m. with service at St. Peter's church and interment in cemetery at Headline.

SUCCESSFUL IN MOOSEJAW.
J. E. McAfee, a Sussex boy, who is successfully engaged in the lumber business in Moosejaw, Sask., passed through the city today en route to his old home. He was radiant at the thought of seeing the home folks again and spoke most enthusiastically of his new home at west. Mr. McAfee is confident the west is due for a great boom after the war.

DIED IN THE HOSPITAL.
George F. Godfrey of Nerepis died on Tuesday morning in the General Public Hospital. He was eighty-one years old. He leaves four daughters—Mrs. Harry McAfee, Duke street, West St. John; Mrs. Louis Smith, Indianapolis; Mrs. John Danforth of New York and Mrs. James Anderson of Havlock. The funeral will take place from Nerepis station tomorrow morning on the arrival of the Boston train.

TRAGEDY IS DEEPLY MOURNED IN ST. JOHN.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety Drowned, in Motor Accident at Oromocto, Had Many Friends in This City

The calamity which has overtaken the home of Wm. T. H. Fenety of Fredericton in the death of Mr. Fenety and his wife at Oromocto, causes much sorrow in St. John, where both are so well known and deeply respected. During the life of the evening newspaper, The Daily Record, published in Canterbury street about 16 years ago, Mr. Fenety remained much of his time here with his brothers, H. G. and Walker, who were on the managerial and editorial staffs. Furthermore, Mrs. Fenety frequently visited her sister, Mrs. M. V. Fawcett, and the Fenety children, Gertrude, now Mrs. Colter, Mary, Witter, the picture house manager so popular in theatrical circles, and Jack, now resident in St. John, have wide circles of immediate friends in St. John. It is as if two of St. John's own residents had been called away so deeply are Mr. and Mrs. Fenety mourned here. To the orphaned children the heart of this community goes out most feelingly.

In business the late W. T. H. Fenety was prominent as a bookseller and stationer and, as a side enterprise, he brought all the larger attractions to the Fredericton Opera House. With his son, Witter W. O., he leased two halls belonging to the Church of England and opened picture shows. These progressed so favorably that the new modern constructed Gaiety in Queen street was the logical successor. In these various pursuits the late Mr. Fenety was the best known citizen in the picturesque little capital city. His untimely demise will leave a sad vacancy.

WAR WORK-DOMINANT NOTE AT CONVENTION.

Dr. Broderick Home From Meeting of Knights of Columbus Supreme National Council

Dr. Wm. P. Broderick, state deputy for the maritime provinces of the Knights of Columbus, accompanied by Mrs. Broderick and Miss Broderick, arrived home at noon from New York, where the doctor had been attending the Supreme National Council of the K. C.'s.

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POKER GAME LEADS TO STABBING CHARGE.

As the result of a game of cards aboard one of the ships in port yesterday afternoon a negro—one of the firemen—was before the magistrate this morning on a charge of stabbing another negro fireman.

Some of the firemen were having a little game of poker in the forecastle of the ship. When the game first started, Walker, the accused, was sitting in the game but later he retired from it. Three men kept playing and Johnston, who was standing by the table watching the game, asked Johnston what he opened on. This Johnston refused to tell him, saying that he was not in the game. Some talk took place and the two men clinched. Walker picked a knife up which was lying on the table and stabbed Johnston in the left side, inflicting quite a severe wound. Johnston was removed to the General Public Hospital on the orders of Dr. Johnston of the military hospital, who was summoned.

Walker pleaded guilty to the charge and was remanded. The captain of the ship gave evidence. He said that he would not take Walker back on his ship as he considered him a very dangerous man. He said that after Walker did the stabbing he was unconcerned over the matter.

NEW BRUNSWICK MAN IS WOUNDED.

Ottawa, Aug. 14—Today's casualties included two killed in action, two died of wounds, one died, five prisoners of war, thirty-one wounded, one gassed and seven ill.

Those from Quebec and the maritime provinces follow:

INFANTRY.
Wounded. A. Amon, Parrshoro, N. S.; J. D. Lemoine, 38 Jean D'Arc street, Quebec; E. Godin, St. Casimir, Que.; J. P. Ballantyne, Ballantyne's Cove, N. S.; C. J. Thornton, Hartland, N. B.

RAILWAY TROOPS.
Ill. H. K. Nicholson, Barachois, N. S.

CITY FACED BY PROSPECT OF POWER STRIKE.

Both Parties in Wage Dispute Stand Firm Today—Citizens Anxiously Await the Outcome

The prospects of a general strike of N. B. Power Co. employees confronts St. John this afternoon. If the street railway officials fail to accede to the proposition of the men based on the report of the board of conciliation appointed under the Lemieux Act—which board consisted of W. Frank Hatheway, Geo. E. Day and Judge Chandler—then men aver they will cease work tomorrow (Thursday) morning.

A prominent official of the street railway workers said this evening: "If the company does not decide to give us what the conciliation board decided should be ours by 9 o'clock Thursday morning, then we will wheel on the road and we will tie her up."

The executive committee of the employees met H. M. Hopper, general manager of the company, H. Ross, president, and Howard P. Robinson, director, and Assistant General Manager McCormick last night.

After a discussion of the situation, the company offered to give the men the six cents per hour increase as had been awarded by the conciliation board, to date from August, and so far as the back time was concerned to pay that to the men should the royal commission give the company permission to increase its rates. This the men of the union refused to accept.

The men, however, made a counter proposal that if the company would give them a written guarantee that they would pay this back time at the end of two months that they would accept the company's proposition. This, in turn, the company refused to accept, with the result that the men issued their ultimatum. H. M. Hopper says: "We have not the money at the present time to pay the men this back time. We are over-drawn at the bank and cannot get the money to pay them, and this amounts to \$15,228."

Around town today there is grave apprehension of impending trouble. St. John, which has already suffered from war conditions, will be further distraught if the strike goes into effect. There is a scurrying for old-time illuminating outfits for homes and mercantile places, and other preparation against labor troubles are being made.

Conversation with sober-minded employees of the N. B. Power Co. elicited the fact that the men are very serious in their demands, and will brook no side-stepping. On the other hand the corporation officials claim to be absolutely helpless in the matter.

So developments are being awaited with almost hated breath, the general public as anxiously as the principals in the dispute for it means much to them as well how the impasse is to be overcome.

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SENT UP FOR TRIAL.

Edward Burks, charged with the theft of \$80 from William Paddock, a returned soldier, was this morning sent up for trial by Magistrate Ritchie, after some further evidence was taken. Inspector Ross, under the prohibition act, testified to the effect that he, in company with Paddock, went to Sheriff street on May 6 looking for Burks. When they arrived on Sheriff street he saw Burks leading a horse and another man following him. He went down to where the horse was and when he got there another man was leading the horse and Burks had disappeared. Sergeant Smith, who made the arrest, told of Burks being absent from the city for about one month and that the day he arrested him he attempted to make his escape. William M. Ryan is appearing for the defendant.

A DOUBLE HOME-COMING.

Maulson Smith, a St. John boy, formerly employed with M. R. A. Ltd., came in from Victoria, B. C. on today's western express. He is still convalescing from illness contracted in the trenches. When voluntary enlistment was on, Mr. Smith joined up with the 67th Battalion in Victoria and proceeded to the front. He is visiting his mother in Winter street. His homecoming is of a double character, and therefore all the more welcome mutually.

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